

App. No. 10/647,767

REMARKS - General

The Claims have been rewritten to address the Sections 101 and 112 issues and adds additional elements that are not disclosed in Cotugno et al., US 6,198,480. Applicant contends that a horizontally collapsed state was novel and new at the time of the invention and makes the invention novel and non-obvious to someone skilled in the arts.

Also applicants have rewritten all claims to define the invention more particularly and distinctly so as to overcome the technical rejections and define the invention patentably over the prior art.

Conclusion

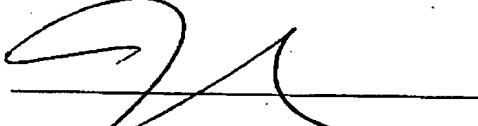
For all of the above reasons, applicant submits that the specification and claims are now in proper form, and that the claims all define patentably over prior art. Therefore the applicant submits that this application is now in condition for allowance, which action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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